

INDICATIONS: Generally fair.

LAST EDITION.

The strangest figure on the road. Called "Hillman" by the people, he is a man of God to attack preachers; contemptuous of tramps, yet one of them, and brotherly fond of his associates—in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

SIX MEN KILLED IN A WRECK.

Two Freight Trains, Running at Full Speed, Crash Together,

ON L. & N. NEAR DAHLGREN, ILL.

ENGINEERS, FIREMEN AND TWO BRAKEMEN CRUSHED IN THE COLLISION.

ORDERS WERE MISUNDERSTOOD

Both Locomotives Demolished and a Dozen or More Cars of Each Train Ground to Fragments.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

McLEANSBORO, Ill., Aug. 18.—Six men were instantly killed in a collision between two freight trains on the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, near Dahlgren, in this county, at 7 o'clock this morning.

The trains were running at full speed and collided head on. The report received here says the engineers and firemen of both trains and two brakemen were instantly killed, but their names cannot be learned.

The trains came together with a tremendous roar that was heard miles away. Both were completely demolished and a dozens cars in each train broken into fragments and piled in a confused mass on the sides of the track.

Assistance was sent from here and the Coroner of the county has gone to the scene. The bodies of the dead men were taken to Dahlgren. A wrecking crew is at work trying to clear the roadway, which will be blocked all day and delay passenger trains.

It is the most disastrous accident that has ever happened on this road. The exact cause of the collision has not been determined, but it is supposed to have occurred from the misunderstanding of orders, as both trains were going at full speed and the engineers must each have thought he had the right of way.

Reports at the St. Louis Office.

At the general offices of the L. & N. Superintendent of Terminals McChesney said nothing was known except that two freight trains had collided head on. The telegram which came to him did not state whether there were any fatalities. The official report of the accident would go to the Evansville offices, as it happened in that division.

THE VERASCOPE PICTURES

The St. Louis Fair Association Closes a Contract for Their Production Here.

The St. Louis Fair Association this afternoon closed a contract by telegraph with Dan Stuart to produce the verascope pictures in St. Louis in connection with the big fair. When First Vice-President Robert Aull of the St. Louis Fair Association was in the East last week he saw Stuart's representative, Mr. Tector, and made him a proposition for the presentation here of the verascope pictures of the Cortesi-Steinmann fight. This proposition on Mr. Tector, from Dan Stuart, accepted by telegraph this morning. The Fair Association will put up a special building for the accommodation of the pictures and will make them one of the most interesting features of the big fair. This will be their first production in St. Louis.

WHOLE FRONTIER IS AFAMINE.

Tribesmen in Great Force March Against the British in India.

SIMLA, Aug. 18, 4 p. m.—It is announced here this afternoon that the whole frontier seems to be aflame. The Afridis are marching through the Khyber Pass upon Jamrud, while the Orakzais are advancing by Kurram and are threatening Samana.

The 36th Regiment of Sikhs, which is divided into detachments along the frontier, has been ordered to concentrate at Fort Lockhart.

All the ladies except Mrs. Duvoux, the wife of Maj. Duvoux of the 36th Sikhs, have left Samana and reached Hangu in safety.

The Gurkha and Samil-Mazasi have combined and threatened Peshawar in the Kurram Valley, which is garrisoned by detachments of Goorkhas and Sikhs.

PUT DYNAMITE ON A STOVE.

The Man Was Killed and His House Was Wrecked.

ROCKMART, Ga., Aug. 18.—W. B. L. Davis, a wealthy farmer living near here, was killed this morning and his house wrecked by the explosion of seventeen dynamite cartridges he had placed on the kitchen stove for drying. He was 60 years old.

DIED OF LOCKJAW.

A Nail in Mrs. Thos. Handley's Foot Caused Her Death.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

GRAYVILLE, Ill., Aug. 18.—Mrs. Thomas Handley, wife of a farmer living west of here, died last night of lockjaw. A nail penetrated her foot a few days ago and the result was fatal.

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH.

THE ONLY ST. LOUIS EVENING PAPER WITH THE ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES

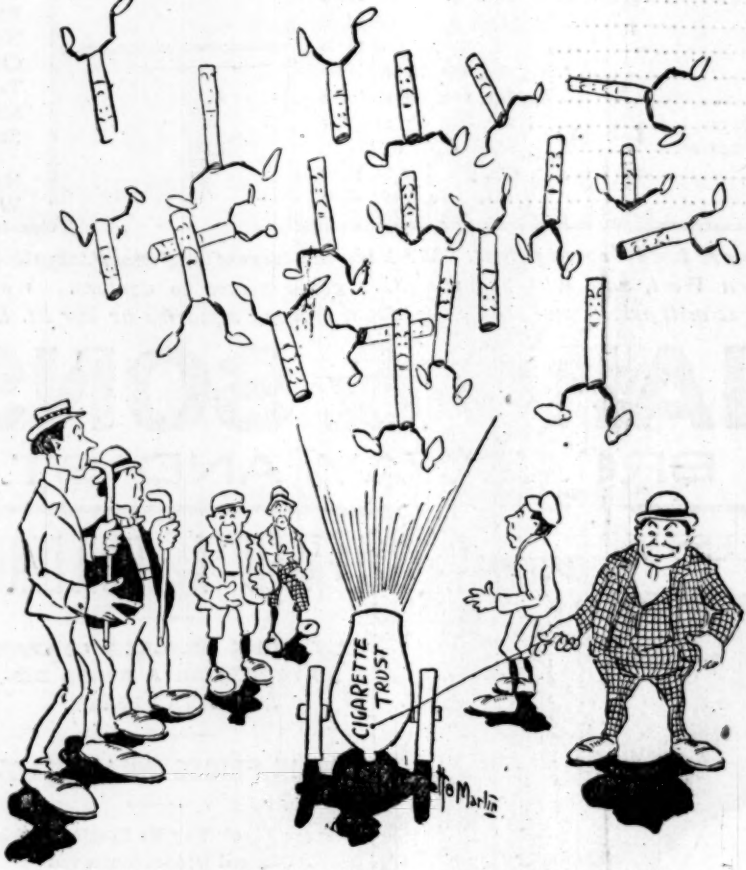
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WEDNESDAY EVENING—ST. LOUIS—AUGUST 18, 1897.

PRICE: In St. Louis, One Cent. Outside St. Louis, Two Cents

TRUSTS MAKE TROUBLE FOR BOTH THE SMALL BOY AND HIS MAMMA.

This week meetings have been held by the cigarette and the china dealers, and it has been decided to increase the prices of the puffs and chinaware.



Up goes the price of chinaware

With Mr. Dingley's tariff law.

Such charges, all the "chinks" declare.

Are rank—the worst they ever saw.

With heathen oaths and wrathful airs

They meet, the subject to debate.

Up goes the price of chinaware.

And those who buy must pay the freight.

They've raised the price of coffin tacks;

They've raised it good and high.

And he who now a fortune lacks

No cigarettes can buy.

Oh, all you fiends who love to puff,

'Tis always truth that jars;

Unless of coin you've got enough,

You'll have to smoke cigars.

IMPALED ON AN IRON FENCE.

Marshall Smith's Spree Had a Peculiar Ending and He May Die.

Marshall Smith's spree is likely to bring about his death in a peculiar manner. He tried to rest his tired frame against an iron picket fence in the vicinity of Eleventh and Morgan streets late Tuesday night. His elbow was propped against the fence and his hand supported his head. While in this position he either went to sleep or his elbow slipped. He fell against the fence and one of the sharp pointed pickets penetrated his left breast. The gasp he took was deep and not far from the heart.

The drunken man remained impaled for several moments before two policemen happened along and rescued him. They sent him to the City Hospital. Dr. Sutter says Smith is in grave danger. The doctor will

TO WED A SECOND TIME

GEORGE WARING OBTAINS A LICENSE TO MARRY HIS WIFE OVER AGAIN.

SEQUEL TO A FAMILY QUARREL.

Husband Tore Up the First Marriage Certificate and Now Wants Another.

George T. Waring and his wife are going to get married.

They were married once, but they will have the knot tied a second time to make sure of it.

Waring is a clerk in the distributing department of the Post-office.

His wife was formerly the wife of Don Martin, a son of Attorney John I. Martin.

As Mrs. Don Martin, the present Mrs. Waring cut a wide swath in Chicago during the Democratic National Convention.

While Col. John I. Martin was earning undying fame as Sergeant-at-Arms of the convention, his son and the latter's handsome wife were living in style at one of the fashionable hotels.

The lady paid the bills. She had just come into her share of the estate of her father, Hugh Redmond, a wealthy St. Louis contractor.

Shortly after her return to St. Louis Mrs. Martin sprung a sensation in the shape of a petition for divorce from her 17-year-old husband.

She charged non-support and said that during the brief season of her marriage Martin had spent all of her money.

The petition stated that she had scarcely enough money left to stand the expense of a suit for divorce.

Within a month after the divorce she was married to George Waring, who had been a suitor before she married Martin.

The Waring was living at 5735 Julian avenue since their marriage.

Wednesday morning it became known to the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Waring that he had secured a marriage license at Clayton.

The news caused all kinds of speculation, but Mr. Waring set matters straight in conversation with a Post-Dispatch reporter.

"I married Miss Redmond soon after she was divorced from Martin," he said. "About two months ago we had a little fracas and I tore up the license and marriage certificate."

"I don't want to go to thinking we didn't have anything to show that we were married, and so decided we had better get a new license and get married again. We were married by a Justice before a priest will marry us this time. My wife is a Catholic."

PHOTOGRAPHS COLOR.

ST. LOUIS MAN HAS PERFECTED AND IS USING THE MUCH-SOUGHT PROCESS.

REQUIRES AN ARTISTIC EYE.

Albert Schaeckner Reproduces Tints in a Camera and Is Guarding His Secret Carefully.

Since Prof. Vogel of Berlin, Germany, suggested the idea several years ago that it was possible to reproduce colors with the camera, photographers and chemists have sought to find a successful process.

Albert Schaeckner of the Western Engraving Co. of this city has achieved this. He can reproduce any object in its natural colors. The practical solution of color photography means a world of comfort to the commercial traveler at least. The drummer, instead of carrying loads of excess baggage in the shape of samples of his goods, needs only the colored photographic counterparts.

The main secret of the process is the extraction of the three primary colors, yellow, red and blue.

A novelty of the work is that the object is photographed at right angles, or practically around the corner. This is made possible by a prism before the lens of the camera. Behind the prism is a color filter. This is a small, flat tank of glass. This filter is filled with a chemically pure solution to exclude all but the color desired to be extracted from the object. A green liquid is used when red is to be photographed, a blue solution when yellow is wanted and a red mixture is put in the filter when blue is to be reproduced.

Back of the filter is the plate specially prepared to receive the three colors. The man at the camera must have the eye of an artist for color effect. He needs to know just how much yellow, red or blue he should extract from an object. From the negative these three primary colors are made. From each a copper plate for the press is then made.

Wednesday morning a registered press, one on top of each other, the object is reproduced in all its variety of hues.

The composition of the liquid used in the color filter is a secret which Mr. Schaeckner keeps very close to his chest. He has been successful in reproducing the most intricate design and kind of color, and has photographed hundreds of other objects of the most difficult kind.

CONTRACTORS MUST HALT.

Street Commissioner Is Tired of the Many Torn-Up Blocks.

The Street Commissioner is going to put a stop to the way contractors have of tearing up a half dozen or more blocks of street ahead of the pavers.

This is a great inconvenience to travel, and is deemed wholly unnecessary, as it is not possible for the pavers to keep up with the workers.

Numerous complaints have been made to District Superintendent Schwackner about the condition of Taylor avenue, between Delmar and Easton avenues. The blocks between those avenues have been torn up and the foundation plowed for several weeks, and yet not a paving stone has been laid.

Superintendent Schwackner notified the contractor Wednesday that he would have to finish the plowed blocks at once, and hereafter no contractor will be allowed to tear up more than one block in advance of his pavers.

Mr. Schwackner says the trouble is caused by leaving too many streets to one contractor at a time. The contractor tries to keep all the work going at once. This is impossible, not that labor is scarce, but because the material cannot be hauled to the point needed on time.

An effort will be made to limit the number of street improvement contracts, so that a contractor will not have more work than he can rush through without obstructing travel.

Gasoline Stove Explosion.

The explosion of a gasoline stove Tuesday afternoon set fire to the home of Peter Noel at 319 North Spring avenue. The flames were extinguished before much damage was done.

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LAST EDITION.

Beautiful, but strange. The ideals of a woman who has dedicated her life to a novel work, her personality and environment, described in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

BUT THE FINISH WAS IN COURT.

William Snender and Two Mysterious Women Pass a Hot Night in Old Town.

HIS FRIEND NOLTE ALONG.

ST. JAMES HOTEL CHAMBERMAID FIGURES IN THE CHARGE AGAINST SUENDER.

MANY DRINKS IN PAULO'S BAR.

Northwestern Iron Works' President Accused of a Caper Which Is Said to Have Made a Mob Threaten Lynching.

Clad in costly clothing, and with a diamond sparkling in his shirt front, William Snender, President of the Northwestern Ironworks, 2710 North Twenty-fifth street, appeared as a defendant in Judge Peabody's police court Wednesday.

Wealthy Mr. Snender is charged with disturbing the peace.

Behind the formal charge is the story of a night of hilarious revelry—a hot time in old town—as a policeman expressed it.

Tuesday night, so the story goes, Snender and his friend William Nolte, a saloon-keeper, went out to see the town. They were accompanied by two women.

The quartette started out from Paulo's saloon at Broadway and Elm street was selected as the proper place to make a night of it. There a part of the night was spent amid the clinkety-clink of cut glass.

Early Wednesday morning the four revelers, with President Snender in the lead, walked along Broadway trying to find a cab to take them home. Sergeant Meehan was near the Southern Hotel as the party passed on the opposite side of Broadway. Catherine Victor, a young woman employed at the St. James Hotel, had knelt down and was scrubbing the sidewalk in front of that place.

Sergeant Meehan is authority for the statement that President Snender subjected the scrub girl to annoyance. She was not harmed yet she screamed aloud with fright in a moment a large crowd congregated. When it was learned that Snender had taken advantage of the girl's stooping posture and had laid hands on her, as alleged, there was much excitement.

"Lynch him! Lynch him!" cried several voices from the hotel.

Sergeant Meehan quelled the incipient uprising by placing Snender under arrest. He called a hoodlum wagon and sent him to the Chestnut Street Station.

Meanwhile the women fled and no further trace of them has been found.

From Chestnut street Snender was taken to the Police Court, where he and his friend Nolte waiting to sign his bond. Ball was fixed and Snender was released.

When Snender's case was called in police court a continuance was granted until Thursday.

Snender is prominent in business circles. He is a convivial fellow, apparently about 40 years of age.

Catherine Victor, describing what happened, said:

"The gentleman threw my apron over my head and made sport of me. But he didn't hurt me."

A HORSE IN A MANHOLE.

Dr. Brookes' Roadster Made Trouble for Many Men.

A horse fell into a manhole on Olive street between Broadway and Sixth street Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

For fifteen minutes the street was blocked, and policemen, car starters, motor-men, conductors and volunteers worked to get that horse out of the hole, while 500 people watched the proceedings with a mixture of interest and amusement.

Dr. Harry B. Brookes of 1800 South Jefferson avenue was driving down Olive with Ben Cable, his hired man. In front of the Post-Dispatch building the cover had been removed from a manhole in order to make repairs to the cable conduit. The hole is only three feet deep and the horse managed to get into it at the same time it is a mystery.

Lifted with boards and pulled by straps, the animal was at last rescued, and Dr. Brookes went his way rejoicing that he, his hired man and his horse escaped injury.

HELD FOR BEING WOUNDED

John Young Tried to Fool an Inquisitive Policeman.

Patrolman Boiger of the Seventh District saw John Young, colored, limping along Grand avenue at Papin street Wednesday morning and asked him what was the matter. Young told him he had fallen from a wagon, but a closer investigation by the officer disclosed a bullet wound in his right thigh. Then Young said he was shot accidentally by Archie Stepto of 2315 Gratiot street Saturday night. At the City Dispensary it was said the wound was not serious and Young was locked up at the Seventh District Police Station pending a further investigation.

BRICK HOUSE IN BELGIUM.

Bequeathed by Mrs. Catherine Debouy to Her Son Anthony.

The will of Mrs. Catherine Debouy was filed for probate Wednesday. She bequeaths a brick house and a lot in Aubree, Belgium, to her son Anthony, together with some Tennessee real estate and notes and cash. The rest is to be divided among her grandchildren. Thomas E. Meehan is their guardian. Anthony J. Debouy and Thomas E. Meehan are appointed executors.

SKUNK HUNTING.

In This Case It Was an Unprofitable Sport.

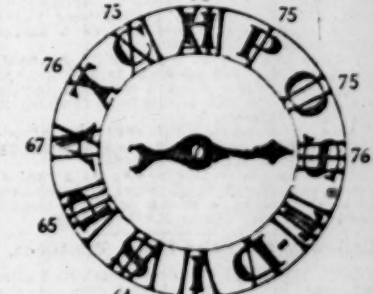
Special to the Post-Dispatch.

APPLETON CITY, Mo., Aug. 18.—Bill Smith, who lives six miles from Appleton City, went out Monday night to shoot a skunk under his barn. The gun-wadding got stuck in the barrel. He fired and burned until it set the barn, shed and corncrib on fire. The skunk was killed, together with all farm implements, loss \$50.

THE WEATHER FORECAST.

POST-DISPATCH THERMOMETER.

(On the sidewalk, in the shade.)



GENERALLY FAIR.

For St. Louis and vicinity—Generally fair Wednesday night and Thursday. Little change in temperature.

For Missouri—Fair Wednesday night and Thursday; variable winds.

For Illinois—Generally fair Wednesday night and Thursday; warmer in extreme north portion; fresh westerly winds.

WILL SOON FALL IN LINE WITH HER SISTER CITIES.

Reorganized House of Delegates Will Hurry Through
the Post-Dispatch Speed, Lamp and Bell
Bicycle Ordinance.

HEARING CALLED FOR THURSDAY MORNING

Delegate Coudrey of the Minority Tries to Complicate Things
by Introducing an "Omni-ratherum"
Vehicle Ordinance.

At the meeting of the House of Delegates Tuesday evening Speaker Lehmann named the new House committee, among them being that on Legislation, which now has charge of the Post-Dispatch bicycle ordinance.

Delegate Madera is chairman of the committee, and the other members are Messrs. Decker, Murrell, Schuler and Sweeney. At the same meeting Mr. Coudrey, chairman of the recent Committee on Legislation, introduced an ordinance putting vehicles and bicycles on the same footing, and requiring all to carry lights at night. The ordinance requires a great many other things, the printing of which would require about two columns of space in a newspaper.

It is a sort of "omni-ratherum" ordinance in that it takes in everything. It repeals ordinances and parts of ordinances that have been in effect as long as the Scheme and Charter. No speed limit is named, bicycles and all other vehicles simply being required to go at a reasonable rate of speed.

But in the meantime the Committee on Legislation turned over to it from the former committee. These ordinances are that introduced by Mr. Wecke and that introduced by Mr. Judy, and known as the Post-Dispatch ordinance.

NEW YORK BICYCLE LAW.

Every bicycle, velocipede, motor wagon or such vehicle of propulsion shall be required to carry an alarm bell or gong not less than one and one-half inches nor more than three inches in diameter, and such bell or gong shall be sounded when turning corners, when passing another vehicle or an equestrian from behind, and to give timely warning to avoid contact with pedestrians, equestrians or vehicles.

No bicycle, tricycle or velocipede shall be propelled at a greater speed than eight miles an hour. . . . Each and every vehicle using the public streets or highways shall show, from one hour after sunset until one hour before sunrise, a light or lights so placed as to be seen from the front and each side.

CHICAGO BICYCLE LAW.

It shall be unlawful for any owner or driver of any wagon, truck, dray, cart, carriage, cab, omnibus, bicycle, or other wheeled vehicle, to use the streets of the city of Chicago without having displayed after the hours of 5 p. m. during the period commencing with April first and ending October thirty-first, after 6 p. m. during the period commencing with November first and ending March thirty-first, one or more lights or lanterns.

CLEVELAND BICYCLE LAW.

No person shall ride, push, draw back, or drive any horse, cart, wagon, or other vehicle, or any velocipede or bicycle, or any sleigh, or any other vehicle, or drive a horse, wagon, sled or sleigh thereon unless it be to get into or out of a yard or lot; and every person using a bicycle or velocipede shall provide the same with a lamp or lantern attached to the front part thereof, and shall cause said lamp or lantern, when said vehicle is in use, to be lighted at dark and to be kept lighted so long as said vehicle shall be ridden at night during the hours of darkness, and said light shall be visible at least 200 feet distant. Each and every bicycle shall keep to the right side of the street and shall be provided with a bell or gong, and such bell or gong shall be sounded upon the approach to any street crossing or vehicle, and no vehicle shall be ridden within the limits of the city at a speed greater than ten miles per hour.

BALTIMORE BICYCLE LAW.

I would state that bicycles are required by ordinance to carry a lamp after dark. In the public parks they are required to carry a bell. Coasting is prohibited at all times in the city proper and between the hours of 9 a. m. and 10 p. m. in the public parks.

LOUISVILLE BICYCLE LAW.

"It shall be unlawful for any person to use a bicycle on any of the public ways of the city of Louisville without having, in connection with such bicycle at all times, a gong of sufficient sound and so used as to warn persons of its approach; and also whenever such bicycle is used on any of the public ways of its approach. Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined \$10 for each offense."

WILLIAM SIGERSON DEAD.

Former Well-Known Resident of St. Louis Passes Away in the South.

William Sigerson, formerly a prominent St. Louisan, died at Ocean Springs, Miss., Monday, at the age of 87.

Mr. Sigerson, with his brothers, John and James, came to St. Louis in 1836. The brothers opened the first meat packing establishment in St. Louis. They also embarked in the nursery business south of Carondelet, operating what were known as the Sigerson nurseries.

In 1871 the Sigersons sold out their St. Louis interests and went to Toledo, Ia. William Sigerson went to New Orleans as Commissioner of the Exposition. He fell in love with the girl country, and purchased a magnificent estate at Ocean Springs, Miss.

The Sigerson Cemetery near Luxembourg, Mo., was donated to the Catholic Church by William Sigerson.

Upset the Carriage.

The horse attached to the carriage containing Mrs. Louisa Krohn and her three small children, Gertrude, Lulu and Ella, took fright at Hochheim street, between Michigan and Minnesota avenues, Tuesday afternoon and ran away. The carriage upset and the occupants were thrown to the street. Mrs. Krohn sustained a slight scalp wound. The children escaped unhurt. The Krohns live at Fannie avenue and the Barracks road.

Chairman Madera of the Committee on Legislation will have a meeting of his committee in the City Hall Thursday morning at 11 o'clock, which he requests bicyclists to attend to express their views on Mr. Judy's ordinance.

With one or two exceptions all the delegates in the House are strongly in favor of a bicycle law that will compel riders to carry lights and bells and that will prevent scorching.

But there is a question of politics that is always springing up. Mr. Judy belongs to the majority of 17, and Mr. Coudrey to the minority. This only prevents the House being unanimously in favor of the Post Dispatch ordinance.

The people are clamoring for a bicycle regulating law. Riders themselves favor such a law. Every large city in the United States has such a law. The general opinion is that St. Louis has been too long without one.

The ordinance introduced by Delegate Coudrey was that prepared by the legislative sub-committee of the Good Streets Committee of the League of American Wheelmen, Missouri Division.

Attorney Everett W. Pattison is the Chairman of this sub-committee, and he prepared the ordinance.

In brief, it provides for a general vehicle ordinance, and only incidentally treats of

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Beautiful Axminster Carpets at.....	\$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50 and \$1.75
Moquette and Velvet Carpets at.....	.95c, \$1.00, \$1.15 and \$1.25
Best Body Brussels Carpets at.....	\$1.00, \$1.07½ and \$1.25
New Tapestry Brussels Carpets at.....	.50c, .60c, .65c, .75c and .85c
Kidderminster Two-Ply Carpets at.....	.50c, .55c, .60c, .70c and .75c
Cotton and Wool Two-Ply Carpets at.....	.25c, .35c, .40c and .45c
New Wilton, La Paris and Smyrna Rugs at.....	\$2.75, \$4.00, \$5.50 to \$10.00
English and American Linoleums.....	.50c, .60c, .65c, .75c to \$1.00
Japanese and Chinese Matings from.....	.12½c, .15c to .50c

The above are lowest retail prices. We have the largest and most complete stock in our WHOLESALE DEPARTMENTS ever shown West, and will be pleased to quote prices to dealers. We have the exclusive control of many leading lines, sell at mill prices, and ship either from Eastern factories or our St. Louis warehouses.

J. KENNARD & SONS CARPET CO.

BROADWAY AND ST. CHARLES.

THE LANTERNLESS WHEEL.



Hold this picture two feet from you and see the argument in favor of the new bicycle light ordinance.

EVENTFUL LIFE OF MRS. STAPP.

Bride of Five Months Finds
Her Husband Dead
in the Hospital.

When Mrs. William Stapp called at the City Hospital Tuesday afternoon to see her sick husband, she found he was dead. To-day she is almost prostrated with grief.

Mrs. Stapp is only 17 years old. She was born in Berlin, of Norwegian parents, and is a decidedly attractive little woman. She has large blue eyes, flaxen hair, white teeth and is vivacious of manner. Her young life has been crowded with exciting events.

"It is but little more than five months ago that I first met my husband," she said. "After a courtship of less than five weeks we were married."

"I was employed in a restaurant at the time. He met me and it was a case of love at first sight. We took a car ride and discussed matrimony the first day. William was a painter and though he was in ill health at the time I was willing and anxious to marry him. After we were married he grew worse. On July 26 he went to the City Hospital. I have been to see him every day since."

"My maiden name was Poole. I was born in Berlin, but my parents returned to their home in Norway a year after I was born. When I was a child my parents trained me for a contortionist. When 5 years old I went on the stage. I remained there until I was 10 years old, when an accident happened that came near proving the death of me."

"I had come to America and was with a company playing in Louisville, Ky. My manager told me that a man who was with her at the time, I was getting \$3 a week for a contortion act and a song-and-dance turn. I was on the pavement one day rolling a hoop with another girl larger than I. I ran into her and she stumbled and fell. It made her mad, but I did not know it. I was on the fourth floor. I was sitting in a window when the girl, in a fit of madness, pushed me out of the window. I was frightened away before stealing any goods. Turner's store is in the same block with the Sixth District Police Station."

"Didn't mind the Police Station. A stone was thrown through the window of William Turner's dry goods store at 410 Easton avenue at 1 o'clock Wednesday morning, but the man who did it was not there. I was in the store at the time. I was frightened away before stealing any goods. Turner's store is in the same block with the Sixth District Police Station."

"When my husband was taken sick and went to the hospital I rented a room with Mrs. Jacoby at 220 Lucas avenue. After a while I concluded I would advertise for a room-mate to share the rent. I obtained one of my friends, Mrs. Laville, who came to live with me. Mrs. Brown, another roomer, had said some awful things about my character. She had not only said so, but she had done so. I was in the stories to the grocery and butcher. She not only said bad things about me, but about Mrs. Jacoby also."

"Mrs. Laville and I were going to lynch Mrs. Brown for it at the time. But before we could do so she had died."

doing that I wanted vindication. I am a lady and I did not want to stand for the things Mrs. Brown had said about me.

"So I just armed myself with a revolver and went after Mrs. Brown. And I got her. At the point of my pistol I made her get down to the grocery and I made her say that the things she said about me were untrue. Then I took her to the butcher's, and she ate her words there. She is still in the house, but I hardly think she will stay any longer than the balance of her week."

"This luncheon of the bride's story Mrs. Jacoby, the landlady, appeared."

"Now, I don't want you to print all Mrs. Stapp says," she said. "The disgraceful scene about which she is telling you is not nearly that bad. And then I don't want it printed anyhow. It will disgrace my house. Mrs. Stapp had no business to tell it."

Excise Commissioner Higgins Would Not Recognize Small Subdivisions.

W. A. Rutledge and his friends were jubilant Wednesday. Excise Commissioner Higgins refused to grant Martin Hannan a license to reopen his saloon at 684 Maple avenue.

The Commissioner would not recognize the holders of the one, five and ten-foot lots as assessed property owners, but based his decision on the ground that Hannan did not have a majority of the real property owners on his paper.

"It would be establishing a bad precedent," said Mr. Higgins, "and one that would work untold harm to property. There would be no locality in the city safe if I were to recognize this."

SANDWICH CAUSES BLOODSHED

Lunch Stand Proprietor Charged With Seriously Wounding a Negro.

Jim Anderson, a negro, is in the City Hospital with a bullet in his left thigh. John Burnmeister, white, keeper of a lunch stand at Ninth and Market streets, is in the holdover charged with shooting him.

Anderson is seriously injured and his recovery is doubtful.

The shooting took place at Burnmeister's lunch stand at midnight.

It is said that Anderson bought a sandwich and refused to pay for it, provoking a quarrel. Anderson made a motion as if to strike Burnmeister. It is claimed. Then the lunchman fired.

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Watches, easy payments. See back page.

Deserter Surrendered. Henry G. Kemp, aged 22, surrendered to the police at the Venice crossing of the Eighth Cavalry, stationed at Fort Yates, N. D. The authorities at Jefferson Barrack took charge of the prisoner.

Parker's Cascaro Quinine Tablets. Are chocolate coated and easy to take. Ask your druggist for them.

LEASED A BUILDING.

NEW YORK CRACKER COMPANY TO ESTABLISH A LOCAL DISTRIBUTING DEPOT.

WAR IN PRICES WILL FOLLOW.

A Large Plant May Be Erected and the General Offices Removed Here.

The three-story building at 602 and 604 South Seventh street, opposite Cupples Station, was leased Wednesday morning by officers of the New York Cracker Co. The premises are to be used as the company's southwestern distributing depot. It will be in operation within a week.

Henry J. Evans, president of the company, Dean M. Jenkins, traveling manager, and C. W. Sample, Western representative, arrived here Tuesday. They made the arrangements for opening the depot, Messrs. Evans and Jenkins will leave Wednesday night. Mr. Sample, who has been manager of the St. Paul house, will become the local manager.

It is believed the establishment of the depot is the first step toward the erection of a large plant here and possible the removal of the general offices from New York. It certainly forecasts a war with the American Biscuit Co., which has its main plant here, but which has its branch plant in St. Louis.

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Nottingham Lace Curtains, new effects.....	\$1.25, \$2.00, \$3.50 and \$5.00 per pair
Irish Point Lace Curtains, just received.....	\$4.50, \$6.75, \$8.25 and up to \$15.00
Brussels Lace Curtains, very beautiful.....	\$5.00, \$6.50, \$8.50 and up to \$35.00
Honiton Lace Curtains, elegant styles.....	\$10.50, \$18.00, \$20.00 and up to \$42.50
Chenille Portiere Curtains, new colorings.....	\$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.50 and up to \$9.00
Tapestry Portiere Curtains, novel combinations.....	\$3.00, \$4.50, \$5.50 and up to \$12.00
Silk Portiere Curtains.....	\$4.50, \$7.50, \$9.00 and up to \$15.00
Satin-Finish Tapestries for Portieres and Draperies, per yard.....	.55c, .65c, .70c and up to 85c
New Patterns China Silks, per yard.....	.40c, .50c, .60c and up to 75c
Wood and Brass Poles, all colors and styles, from.....	.25c each up to \$3.50

HOPE FOR ANDREE VET.

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A MAN OF GREAT PRECAUTION.

Scientist Harkness Does Not Credit the Story of the Captured Pigeon.

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LONDON, Aug. 18.—John Cowles, curator of the Royal Geographical Society, said to the Post-Dispatch correspondent concerning the various reports about Andree and his balloon.

"Anything regarding Andree is necessarily conjecture. We have no ground for losing hope of his ultimate safety. Andree is a man of infinite precaution, his balloon is made of the best material, his supplies are sufficient to last him for a long period. Our faith in him was increased by his exhibition of sublime moral courage last year in not starting when the wind was unfavorable."

"Previous to his departure Andree consulted me and asked me for as many possible objections. I see nothing impracticable in his theory, though it is certain that his proposed plan of reaching the North pole has failed or we should have had advice from the country. It began in the South and is following the harvest toward the north. The increase is going to have more money to spend and make our eyes open we will get some of it."

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Solid Oak Wood.....	28c
Best Chairs.....	55c
Cape-Sear Chairs.....	65c
Solid Oak.....	24c
Buckers, same quality.....	39c
and style.....	63c
Half-Wool Ingrain Carpets.....	49c
per yard.....	15c
Brussels Carpets.....	\$1.05
low pattern.....	\$1.10
State Oil Cloth, regular.....	
width.....	
length (2 p. m.).....	
Window Shades.....	
spring rollers.....	
Parlor Table.....	
brass feet.....	
Ladies' Cutting Tables, with.....	
aluminum legs, 3 feet.....	

Walker's Plan—Pay as You Can.

DEATHS.

BRAND—Philip H. Brand, dearly beloved father, grandfather, father-in-law, died suddenly on Tuesday, August 17th, at 1:30, at the age of 48 years 6 months 15 days.

The funeral will take place from family residence, 4127 Hartman avenue, Tuesday, August 18th, at 2 p. m. Friends are kindly invited to attend.

Ida Brand, wife: Friends Moller (see Brand), daughter: Mrs. Brand, Elmer, Elsie, and William. Interment: Calvary Cemetery, Friends of family invited to attend.

CULLEN—On Monday, August 16th, at 8 p. m., Kate Cullen, beloved wife of John Cullen, aged 40 years, after a short illness.

The funeral will take place from residence, 1410 Paden street, Thursday, August 19th, at 2 p. m. to Holy Angels' Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends of family invited to attend.

DELANEY—On Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1897, at 9 o'clock a. m., Julia Delaney, daughter of John and Kate Delaney, aged 20 years, 7 months and 19 days.

The funeral will take place Thursday, Aug. 19, at 9 o'clock a. m., from the family residence, No. 2410 Cass st., to St. Louis Cathedral, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

GALLAGHER—On Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1897, at 9:15 o'clock p. m., Mary Ann Gallagher (nee Gilchrist), wife of James C. Gallagher, aged 41 years and 7 months.

The funeral will take place Thursday, Aug. 19, at 9 o'clock a. m., from the family residence, No. 1724 North Twelfth street, to St. Michael's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

PERIN—On Wednesday, August 18th, 1897, at 12:45 o'clock p. m., Mary Perin (nee Stakes), beloved wife of John Perin, aged 36 years.

The funeral will take place Friday, 20th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m., from family residence, No. 1317 Cass avenue, to St. Mary's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

Chicago papers please copy.

Another Case of Drowned Cuban.

Belle Cuba, colored, 19 years old, is at the City Hospital with a scalp wound extending the length of her head.

THE VILLAGE.

Sheriff and Mayor Defied by the Marching Crusaders at Coffeen.

BRADLEY WILL BE RELEASED.

GOV. TANNER DECLINES TO SEND STATE MILITIA TO THE SCENE OF TROUBLE.

HE SEES NO GREAT DANGER.

The Temporary Injunction Against Miners in Pennsylvania Made Permanent by the Court's Decision.

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CONDITION OF THE MINERS IN THE ILLINOIS COAL FIELDS.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 18.—According to reports received by officials of the Miners' Union and Labor Bureau, the following figures indicate the present condition of the miners in the Illinois coal fields, as the result of the strike:

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Bond	150	100	Marshall	1000	600
Bureau	250	200	Marion	250	200
Clinton	400	100	Montgomery	220	150
Fulton	100	100	Monroe	200	150
Grundy	250	100	Rock Island	200	100
Henry	100	100	Saline	100	100
Kankakee	300	100	St. Clair	400	100
Knox	100	100	Union	100	100
La Salle	1000	1000	Vermilion	2000	400
Livestock	130	200	Washington	100	100
Macoupin	100	100	Woodford	100	100
Madison	1000	1000	Totals	2700	1500
Marion	250	100			

out for the day. Gen. Bradley was unable to get his bond of \$1000 last night on a charge of resisting and obstructing an officer on a warrant sworn out by Mayor Traylor. He waived examination and trial was continued until Aug. 25. The sheriff refused to take any plea that Montgomery County bondsmen upon a plea that if suit had to be brought on the bond he did not desire to have to sue in another county.

This morning the situation at Hillsboro, Fr. Beck and Jules Chiehe, all Mt. Olive business men, put up the cash to indemnify the Montgomery County citizens signing and Henry Mitchell and T. J. Wilton of Hillsboro have signed the bond, while it is said Fr. Beck, pastor of the Catholic church, will be the third signer. No trouble is anticipated to-day, although several Mt. Olive miners are doing considerable loud talking with Hillsboro miners.

In response to an appeal for militia from Sheriff Hand, the governor declined to order out troops. In his message the sheriff said: "One word from the Governor will disperse the 600 or more miners who are now besieging the village of Coffeen. I shall not on the value of my property, but I am in ashes and possibly will lose it."

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A DARK HORSE MAY GET IT. A SPECIAL MORNING SESSION.

The State Convention in Session Under a Big Tent on the College Campus at Cedar Rapids.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Aug. 18.—The Republican State Convention was called to order shortly after 11 o'clock by H. C. McMillan, Chairman of the State Central Committee. By way of an innovation the convention is being held in a large tent pitched upon the C. O. E. College campus, and having seating accommodations for 5,000 people. The convention is one of the largest political bodies that have ever met in this country. The roll of delegates and alternates aggregates nearly 3,000 names. A full ticket, comprising Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Judge of the Supreme Court, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and Railroad Commissioner, is to be nominated. Up to two weeks ago Gov. F. M. Drake had a clear field for the renomination and his withdrawal, based upon his physical condition, which is so precarious that participation in an active campaign would endanger his life, has precipitated a red-hot contest and developed a field of eight would-be nominees. As a result to-day's convention will witness one of the liveliest contests ever seen in the State. Leading candidates for the head of the ticket are

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THE HOUSE ZEALOUS.

WANTS TO SHAPE IMPROVEMENT BILLS AND WORK ALL SUMMER.

The Bills Were Referred to a Committee, but They May Never Become Effective.

The House of Delegates, under the new regime, is showing unusual zeal in behalf of public improvements.

It held a special session Wednesday at 11 a. m. to hurry along the bills for improvement bills that were introduced Tuesday night. These bills passed their second reading and were referred to Committee on Public Improvements.

The House seems in no haste to adjourn, as it again laid over for one week the joint resolution for a recess until November. The Council is ready to adjourn.

Ex-Speaker Lloyd moved that the House go into committee of the whole on the bill for improvement bills, but it was defeated by the usual majority vote of 17 to 11. The order and noon were called for on every motion.

Ex-Speaker Lloyd has his little hand of the House in the bill for improvement bills, as Speaker Lehmann, with Judge Berch and Helms as floor managers, has the majority.

The House adjourned to meet Friday at 7 p. m.

After all the hullabaloo the four West End street improvement bills were introduced. The House is not in a hurry to pass them, as a grave doubt is raised as to their legality.

President McMahon of the Board of Public Improvements says that any contractor who undertakes the work provided for in the bill is liable to a fine of \$100,000, and that the House will inquire whether the bills have been legally passed.

The doubt is raised on this state of facts: Two weeks ago the bills were filed by the House, and since that time they have been in the hands of the Board of Public Improvements. Friday an effort was made to reconsider the bills; that motion was voted down. A second time an effort was made to reconsider the filing of the bills and was

The unbroken rule of the House for a score of years has been that when a bill is filed in the House it is to be considered dead and the only way it can come before the Assembly again is as a new measure from the source that originated it. This is specifically the rule as to tax bills.

The House's course on the bills Tuesday night was first to reconsider the reconsideration, which was voted down. Then it was carried, then followed a motion to suspend the rules. This motion was carried, and the bills were taken from the file and passed.

The Board of Public Improvements will hold that the bills were dead, and it was out of the House. McMahon thinks that if they are to become laws upon which valid tax bills can be based, the Board of Public Improvements must be induced to agree to their reconsideration.

Unless this is done Mr. McMahon thinks that no contractor will be thorough enough to do the regular course through the Assembly. The House is now in a position to reconsider the bills, but it is not sure that it will do so.

The City Counselor, it is said, orally advised the House that its course Tuesday night would be legal.

A PENITENT MAJORITY.

Controlling Faction in the House Promises to Be Good.

The people who packed the House of Delegates chamber Tuesday night expecting to see a continuation of the wild conduct that characterized last Friday night's session were disappointed. It was as orderly a business session as the House ever held.

Speaker Lehmann was on hand early and so were all the members. Half an hour before the House met the seventeen members who were present, with the chair, headed by Speaker Lehmann, marched into the Mayor's office to extend to him the olive branch of peace and assure him they were not only going to be on their good behavior, but would break all former records in the line of public improvement.

The Mayor received his callers with stern courtesy. Speaker Lehmann did most of the talking, which consisted of an assurance that he and his followers were not opposed to the administration of its avowed policy of public improvement. The Mayor said he was glad to learn this and hoped there would be no more friction.

Speaker Lehmann was a member of the House for so many years, and so thoroughly acquainted with the duties of the House, that he presides with good-humored dignity.

The first thing to be done was to announce the new committees and the Speaker's effort to do this intelligently and with a minimum of fuss and feathers.

There is not one of the opposition on an important committee, and the only one of them allowed to be on the committee is Paulsen on the Claims Committee, a thankless job that none of the Lehmans would take.

As soon as the committees were announced the Speaker moved to refer to the call of the chair, and all of the committees at once met and organized. The committees elect their own chairmen. The Speaker intended that Mr. Madera should be chairman of this committee, but he was not present. The committee was organized by the Speaker, and the Speaker intended that Mr. Madera should be chairman of this committee, but he was not present.

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THE HOUSE ZEALOUS.

WANTS TO SHAPE IMPROVEMENT BILLS AND WORK ALL SUMMER.

The Bills Were Referred to a Committee, but They May Never Become Effective.

The House of Delegates, under the new regime, is showing unusual zeal in behalf of public improvements.

It held a special session Wednesday at 11 a. m. to hurry along the bills for improvement bills that were introduced Tuesday night. These bills passed their second reading and were referred to Committee on Public Improvements.

The House seems in no haste to adjourn, as it again laid over for one week the joint resolution for a recess until November. The Council is ready to adjourn.

Ex-Speaker Lloyd moved that the House go into committee of the whole on the bill for improvement bills, but it was defeated by the usual majority vote of 17 to 11. The order and noon were called for on every motion.

Ex-Speaker Lloyd has his little hand of the House in the bill for improvement bills, as Speaker Lehmann, with Judge Berch and Helms as floor managers, has the majority.

The House adjourned to meet Friday at 7 p. m.

After all the hullabaloo the four West End street improvement bills were introduced. The House is not in a hurry to pass them, as a grave doubt is raised as to their legality.

President McMahon of the Board of Public Improvements says that any contractor who undertakes the work provided for in the bill is liable to a fine of \$100,000, and that the House will inquire whether the bills have been legally passed.

The doubt is raised on this state of facts: Two weeks ago the bills were filed by the House, and since that time they have been in the hands of the Board of Public Improvements. Friday an effort was made to reconsider the bills; that motion was voted down. A second time an effort was made to reconsider the filing of the bills and was

The unbroken rule of the House for a score of years has been that when a bill is filed in the House it is to be considered dead and the only way it can come before the Assembly again is as a new measure from the source that originated it. This is specifically the rule as to tax bills.

The House's course on the bills Tuesday night was first to reconsider the reconsideration, which was voted down. Then it was carried, then followed a motion to suspend the rules. This motion was carried, and the bills were taken from the file and passed.

The Board of Public Improvements will hold that the bills were dead, and it was out of the House. McMahon thinks that if they are to become laws upon which valid tax bills can be based, the Board of Public Improvements must be induced to agree to their reconsideration.

Unless this is done Mr. McMahon thinks that no contractor will be thorough enough to do the regular course through the Assembly. The House is now in a position to reconsider the bills, but it is not sure that it will do so.

The City Counselor, it is said, orally advised the House that its course Tuesday night would be legal.

A PENITENT MAJORITY.

Controlling Faction in the House Promises to Be Good.

The people who packed the House of Delegates chamber Tuesday night expecting to see a continuation of the wild conduct that characterized last Friday night's session were disappointed. It was as orderly a business session as the House ever held.

Speaker Lehmann was on hand early and so were all the members. Half an hour before the House met the seventeen members who were present, with the chair, headed by Speaker Lehmann, marched into the Mayor's office to extend to him the olive branch of peace and assure him they were not only going to be on their good behavior, but would break all former records in the line of public improvement.

The Mayor received his callers with stern courtesy. Speaker Lehmann did most of the talking, which consisted of an assurance that he and his followers were not opposed to the administration of its avowed policy of public improvement. The Mayor said he was glad to learn this and hoped there would be no more friction.

Speaker Lehmann was a member of the House for so many years, and so thoroughly acquainted with the duties of the House, that he presides with good-humored dignity.

The first thing to be done was to announce the new committees and the Speaker's effort to do this intelligently and with a minimum of fuss and feathers.

There is not one of the opposition on an important committee, and the only one of them allowed to be on the committee is Paulsen on the Claims Committee, a thankless job that none of the Lehmans would take.

As soon as the committees were announced the Speaker moved to refer to the call of the chair, and all of the committees at once met and organized. The committees elect their own chairmen. The Speaker intended that Mr. Madera should be chairman of this committee, but he was not present. The committee was organized by the Speaker, and the Speaker intended that Mr. Madera should be chairman of this committee, but he was not present.

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THE ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION.
The Chicago Tribune of Aug. 16 indulges in a malicious reference to the invitation to President McKinley to attend the annual St. Louis Exposition, as an effort to boom a "private snap."

In view of the record of the St. Louis Exposition and that of all other attempts to establish permanent expositions, St. Louisans can well afford to smile at this fling at the only successful permanent exposition in the United States.

The St. Louis Exposition is about to open its fourteenth season, after thirteen successful seasons. In its twenty-year-old age which no other exposition in this country has been able to reach—it paid a dividend of 8 per cent on each share of stock. The management is now building a magnificent coliseum, which will accommodate 12,000 persons, and for this purpose have readily assumed an indebtedness of \$150,000, with full confidence that the receipts will pay out.

As for the benefits of the Exposition to St. Louis, the merchants can testify to the stimulus it has given to trade by bringing thousands of people to the city and giving it world-wide advertisement.

The St. Louis Exposition is a monument to the solidity and prosperity of St. Louis and to the enterprise and ability of her business men. It is a monument to the attending and the importance of which would be a fit and creditable act on the part of the President.

There is cause for rejoicing in the changed temper of the House of Representatives toward the improvement bills, but the end does not justify the means adopted by Mayor Ziegenhain to force the House into obedience to his ideas.

SHERMAN'S COLLAPSE.
It is evident that Secretary Sherman is not only becoming more reckless in his utterances on matters of State, but that he does not appreciate the import of his utterances and forgets what he has said the day after he said it.

Naturally, Secretary Sherman would be the last man to realize the failure of his powers and to recognize the necessity of his retirement from the house of the State Department. Late advice states that he laughs at the suggestion of his resignation.

But the resignation must come. The interests of the Government cannot be imperiled by the mental incompetence of a senile Secretary of State. It will be necessary for President McKinley to get Mr. Sherman aside.

The situation is pathetic, but it is a situation of the President's own making. He knows Mr. Sherman's condition when he made him Secretary of State to clear the way for his own return.

Whatever disaster, or pain, or humiliation follows must rest on the President's shoulders.

All wrongs bring a penalty. Unfortunately, the weight of the penalty does not always fall on the guilty. For Sherman, humiliated at the close of a long and distinguished career, must bear the brunt of the McKinley-Hanna wrong.

The habit of taxing poor men heavily seems to have led the Tariff Commission into overestimating Mr. Rockefeller's property.

EVANGELINA CINTRERO.
If Spain desires to win a place in the ranks of progressive and humane nations it will be merciful to Evangelina Cintrero, the daughter of the Cuban leader. The condemnation of this young woman to a living death in the penal colony of Ceuta will bring upon the Spanish Government the execration of the civilized world.

The evidence seems to show that this girl has not been directly guilty of any criminal crime. She is a victim of circumstances, and if she is sentenced to twenty years imprisonment among the vilest of criminals it will be because she is her father's daughter. It will be looked upon as a dastardly act of vengeance, unworthy of any but a barbaric nation, steeped in medieval brutality and ignorance.

Spain is already brought upon herself sufficient ill-will through barbarities committed in Cuba by Spanish soldiers and in the prisons of the mother country upon men who, however guilty, were in a helpless condition. The Spanish Government has it in its power to partially retrieve its

reputation and win the world's friendly regard by showing mercy to this poor girl.

The eyes of the civilized races are upon Spain in this crisis. The patience of the civilized world is about exhausted.

Although the farmer will not be made rich by the great crop and good prices of the present year, he will be better off than he has been for several years. He would be still better off, however, if the tariff tinkers had not granted such a rich "rake-off" to the trusts and tariff barons.

THE RIGHT SPIRIT.
Vice-President Lewis of the Board of Police Commissioners shows a commendable spirit in promptly accepting the Post-Dispatch's suggestion that the Board issue an order for the raiding and closing of the pool-rooms.

It is true, as Mr. Lewis says, that the closing of the pool-rooms without the aid of a specific law is a difficult task. It is difficult because the courts have made it difficult. They have not supported the efforts of the Police Department.

But Vice-President Lewis agrees with other lawyers that there is law enough for the suppression of these dens of vice. He says that the Police Commissioners will do their full duty.

That is all the assurance the people of St. Louis want. There is good reason to believe that a vigorous onslaught by the police will close the pool-rooms. If it does not, the responsibility for keeping them open will be fixed. The skirts of the Police Commissioners will be clear.

The threats of the property owners of Elizabeth, N. J., to lynch the town councilmen if they passed a boulder bill for the benefit of the Standard Oil Trust, but a grave offense against civilization, but not more grave than the contemplated lynching of the Elizabeth Councilmen. An outbreak of violence is not as damaging to civilization as a deliberate undermining of government by corruption and the abuse of the powers of government.

With the ballot to root the hands of taxpayers ought not to be used to judge Lynch's rope, but there is a limit to popular patience. If boodling Aldermen and bribing lobbyists are strung up by angry citizens there will be no ground of complaint in behalf of the lynched.

Mrs. Felton will not much regard the Boston paper's attack on her lynching ideas. The Boston paper has no feminine relatives exposed in the South and has little realization of the perils of white women in that part of the country. But lynching is to be deprecated in all parts of the country. The laws should be enforced.

There will be so much of everything that is of absorbing interest in next Sunday's big Post-Dispatch that no up-to-date reader will be likely to miss that reading, the best of newspaper art work—everything attractive will be in the big paper of Sunday.

It is proposed in Kansas to make ex-Senator Ingalls a State Senator. Dropping from the United States Congress to a State Legislature is something of a fall, but when a statesman has been out of a job a loss of position may be something of a downy tuck to it.

The Republican platform of Wisconsin having promised a law against free passes, the Legislature is now expected to enact a stringent measure against the use of a free pass in any form. Whether they will do so or not remains to be seen.

The fact that the tariff tinkers have placed two different duties on plums placed in no way affect the McKinley official plums. Waiting patriots have found that these come sufficiently high without additional taxation.

The importance of a medical education is shown in the case of the young Texas monster who has murdered his mother. Had he not known just how to end her life quickly the poor woman might have been horribly mangled.

Visiting merchants will hardly find a pleasant place to come to than St. Louis. Business and social relations with St. Louis have less unpleasantness than in any other city, North, South, East or West.

The assessed valuation of each of twenty-three States is less than that of Greater New York, and the question with the New York taxpayers now is, "Am I to be a greater taxpayer?"

New York and Michigan are coming to Missouri for apples. The world is every day learning more of our great fruit and there is a growing market for it in all directions.

The extra \$500,000,000 that our crops are bringing is a victory for the farmer that ought to be more renowned than the most sanguinary triumph of all our wars.

The hole in Prince Henry's abdomen is not sufficiently large to knock through, though some people are using it in trying to see a throne for him.

The Kaiser is mistaken. Military honor does not call for deliberate murder in the guise of dueling. Nor does any other sort of honor.

People who are being starved and frozen in climbing Mt. Tacoma will soon be in good condition for the Klondike.

Even potatoes have refused to grow in Europe this year. Mr. McKinley seems to have got things down fine.

The high tariff that produces large crops and a steady foreign demand for them ought to be popular.

Andrew's carrier pigeon deserved a better fate than being shot—poor bird!

THE BUSINESS REVIVAL.
From the Osk (Mo.) Republican.
Tuesday's Post-Dispatch, in an article under the head of "Prosperity Is Surely Coming," says: "Leading merchants of St. Louis express their confidence in a speedy business revival in all lines. Already they say, increased activity is shown, and one predicts a greater volume of business than in any year since 1893, which was known as the 'boom year.'" And the Post-Dispatch backs this statement up by interviews with the aforesaid leading merchants, all of whom give the best reasons for their rosy

revelations.

THE BRADY APPOINTMENT.

What Citizens Have to Say of Gov. Stephens' Rumored Intention—Protests and Warnings From Democrats.

The Brady Blunder.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I am a friend of Gov. Stephens and acquainted with his most intimate friends in St. Louis—probably a better friend of his than they—and I propose to show it by saving him from a blunder.

Here is the Brady business in a nutshell. Gov. Stephens has been advised that St. Louis is hopelessly Republican. Hence this plan that he has already adopted it to a great extent. He has Lewis and the rest of the Democrats in St. Louis, and for the sole purpose of controlling the delegates to the State convention so that they will not vote for him.

The men who have contributed thousands of dollars to the party's welfare in St. Louis and who have never asked a favor of any kind from it in return are disgusted at such an idea. If Gov. Stephens appoints Brady as his agent, he will be advising the Democrats of St. Louis that they are to be treated as a mere tool.

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TWO STORIES OF YOUTHFUL DEPRAVITY.

NINE-YEAR-OLD BOY KILLS HIS TRUSTED MESSENGER, AGED 17, SISTER IN A SPIRIT OF REVENGE.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
CRESWELL, Ky., Aug. 15.—Jesse Gobin, 9 years old, rivals Jesse Pomeroy in cold-blooded crime. A few days ago he cut his little sister's throat because she told of his plying money from his mother. He is the son of respectable parents, but was recently caught setting fire to a neighbor's barn, and was seen putting arsenic in a watermelon intended for the family table. He is now in jail for the murder of his sister.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—After having gained a reputation for sterling honesty, and being trusted for years with large sums of money, James Cullen, the 17-year-old messenger boy of the National Security Co., decamped with \$1,000 of the firm's money, put in his hands to take to the bank. Not only this, but it now develops that the trusted messenger has been playing the races and has run away with a married woman.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 13.—President A. C. Moxham of the Johnson Steel Co., who is now in England, has just received orders for 20,000 tons of steel rails for electric roads in Ireland. This is probably the largest order of steel rails for electric railway purposes ever shipped out of this country, and the fact that they are sent to the very doors of England is one of the notable features of the order.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
The Johnson Steel company underbid not only other American mills nearer the seaboard, but British mills as well. The order is necessary for the Johnson company to build special rails to do the work, and already has work begun on them.

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George Goldie, a young Texan from Brownwood, was arrested at Stein street Tuesday evening as he stepped off of an Iron Mountain freight train. He had worked for some time in the city and was in the habit of getting work to do here. He had heard of the wave of prosperity that had struck St. Louis and wanted to get right in the act.

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EMPLOYMENT GROUPING.

FOR RENT ROOMS, ETC.

YESTERDAY in this space the Post-Dispatch PROVED its claim to the largest HOME Circulation. To-day, in the following, the Post-Dispatch REMOVES ALL DOUBT as to superiority of circulation in the BUSINESS DISTRICT.

OF COURSE, IT'S SURPRISING!

(To many) but it's a fact, just the same, that in

P.-D. WANTS.

Last Week, the Post-Dispatch

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Ads than any two other St. Louis Newspapers combined!

And without having to reprint free in its Monday issue the ads from the Sunday issue in order to swell its Want Columns.

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BETWEEN OURSELVES:

Now, really, isn't this gratifying, and don't it make the fact very plain to you that the P.-D. is read by more business men, more employers than at least any 2 other St. Louis newspapers?

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Ads in P.-D. - 229

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SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

20 Words or Less, 5c.

BANK TELLER—Book-keeper and general office man of 14 years' experience; best of references. Ad. T. 123, Post-Dispatch.

BARTENDER—Wanted, situation; experienced, quick worker; trustworthy; good recommendation; city or country; German nationality. Ad. D. 141, Post-Dispatch.

BOOK-KEEPER—Wanted, position as bookkeeper, cashier or office man; best of references. Ad. L. 139, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Good, strong boy wants work of any kind. 2205 Olive st.

BOY—Situation wanted by a neat colored boy as house or dining room boy, or any kind of work; refs. Ad. E. 300, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Wanted, position as a boy of 18 to take care of horse, or as a stable boy; refs. Ad. B. 139, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Colored boy or boy wants work of any kind. 2214 Franklin av.

BOY—Situation wanted by boy of 10 to office; good penman; or work of any kind; best of references. Ad. D. 139, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Colored boy wants situation as house or dining room boy, with best of refs. Ad. G. 922 Caldwell.

COACHMAN—Wanted, situation as coachman; German; honest, reliable and neat; work around place; city refs. Ad. E. 134, Post-Dispatch.

COACHMAN—Situation wanted as coachman; understands the business and work on gentleman's place; good milk; best references. Ad. G. 141, Post-Dispatch.

COACHMAN—Wanted, situation by German coachman; handy in housework; city or country; city references. Ad. C. 128, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Wanted, situation as first and second cook in country hotel; can give refs. Ad. H. 137, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER—Wanted, situation as driver for whole sale house or for grocery or laundry; German; good references; willing to work. Ad. T. 139, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER—Wanted, situation by a young man as driver; well equipped in city and used to handling horses. Ad. H. 140, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER—Wanted, position by laundry driver; commanding good cash trade. Ad. E. 137, Post-Dispatch.

ENGINEER—Wanted, situation by licensed engineer; good city references; competent, sober and steady; can do repairing; no objection to station, night work, or to driving a small plant; five years' experience. Ad. Engineer, 2313 N. Broadway.

HANDESMAN—Wanted, situation by harness maker; hard and steady; willing to leave the city. H. Richard, 2007 West Chestnut st.

HORSESHOER—Wanted, situation as horseshoer; 8 years' experience; stranger in the city. 3823 Marine av.

JANITOR—Carpenter wants situation as janitor or to repairing for real estate firm. Ad. M. 127, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Situation wanted by first-class colored man in private family; or housework; can furnish refs. 2753 Wash. st.

MAN—Wanted, situation by young man of 20; handy with tools; will work cheap; good refs. Ad. C. 918 N. Garrison av.

MAN—Wanted, situation by a houseman; middle-aged white man; strong and active; good refs. Ad. M. 140, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man, good education, wants position in an office. Ad. D. 140, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Wanted, situation by young man; can speak French, Spanish, steady; any kind of work. Ad. A. 138, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Wanted, situation by man; or self and wife; good in rooming house; man careful night clerk. Ad. P. 137, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Wanted, situation by sober and industrious young man; any kind of work. Ad. P. 134, Post-Dispatch.

MILLWRIGHT—Wanted, position of any kind by young man; millwright by trade; has tools. Ad. G. 138, Post-Dispatch.

PAINTER—A painter wants position; will work cheap. Ad. G. 138, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Wanted, position at Exposition; ready to travel; good city refs. Ad. W. 137, Post-Dispatch.

YOUNG MAN—Of 16 years, with some experience at confectionery, looking for a position. 7810 Ivory st.

YOUNG MAN—Of 25, attending college during day; wishes employment after 6 p. m.; good penman; speaks English. Ad. C. 139, Post-Dispatch.

\$10.00 UP—Fits to order. Mearns Tailoring Co., 814 and Olive, second floor.

\$2.50 UP—Fits to order. Mearns Tailoring Co., 219 N. 8th cor. Olive, 2d floor.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

14 words or less, 10c.

BARBER-MAKER—Wanted—One who understands blending. 1148 St. Charles st.

BICYCLE RIDER—Wanted—To work among friends; a splendid opportunity; good pay. 2901 Olive st.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

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BOOK-KEEPER—Wanted—An assistant book-keeper; one accustomed to produce commission business preferred. 829 N. 3d st.

BOOTBLACK—Wanted—German. Inquire at Boot-room, Lindell Hotel.

BOY—Wanted—To work in drugstore. Apply at 2011 Cass av. to-day.

BOYS—Wanted—To work afternoons; can earn \$4 to \$5 a week. Apply to A. Kohl, 9439 Main Chester st.

BOYS—Wanted—A few boys to work afternoons; light work. 3211 Easton av.

CARPENTERS—Wanted—Carpenters and car builders. 2800 De Kalb st.

COLLECTORS—Wanted—5 collectors with small territory immediately. Alaska Colony. Room 11, 110 N. 8th st.

ENGINEER—Wanted—Thoroughly competent, experienced engineer and electrician for Saturday night work; only those willing to do night work apply. Ad. H. 135, Post-Dispatch.

FARM HANDS—Wanted—Swiss, German, Von Schneider Farm, 2 miles west of Clayton, Clayton Mo.

LATHE HANDS—Wanted—1st-class lathe hands, 1st-class man on 10-ft. boring and turning mill. 2 first-class men on mill lathes. Ad. P. 139, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Wanted—Good elderly man; work around house; good wages. Ad. K. 138, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Wanted—Young man, 18 to 20 years old, to operate typewriter and make himself useful in general office work. Ad. P. 140, Post-Dispatch.

MEN AND TEAMS—Wanted—On 12th and Victor sts. H. Accola.

MEAT CUTTER—Wanted—A young man who understands cutting meat. 2029 S. 11th st.

MEN—Wanted—6 men to address envelopes. Apply at Room 28, 10 1/2 West 1st. Post-Dispatch.

MEN—Wanted—3 colored men to work on commission. Apply at 1302 on Morgan st.

MEN—Wanted—To learn the barber trade; students or locations furnished each student; tools given; call or write for illustrated catalogue. Moler's Barber College, 821 N. 11th st.

MEN—Wanted—Saddle hands on riding saddles. Apply at 1100 N. 11th st.

OYSTERS—First of the season, 25c doz. Wm. G. Milford's, 207 and 209 N. 6th st.

OX-BLOOD TAN—Looks and feels like a \$5.00; choice of 18 top shapes. \$2.50. Harris, 94 1/2 Olive st.

PENMAN—Wanted—Rapid, elegant penman for job work. 401 National Bank of Commerce Bldg., 2313 N. Broadway.

PHOTOGRAPHER—Wanted—View photographer (circulation work); also caller out. Bull, 2122 Franklin av.

PRIVATE—Wanted—A specialty at Franklin av. Free Dispensary, 1214 Franklin av.

RUBBER—Wanted—An experienced rubber who has worked in both hard and underlaid management; best of references. Ad. W. 137, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Wanted—A first-class shoemaker. McNamara, northwest corner 7th and Olive sts. Ad. M. 140, Post-Dispatch.

SOLICITOR—Wanted—Competent solicitor; experienced in mercantile agency business. Ad. E. 138, Post-Dispatch.

SPECIAL—Treatment for all private and rectal diseases. General Dispensary, 1408 Franklin.

STOVE REPAIRS—Castings and repairs for stoves and ranges of every description. A. G. Brann, 218 Locust st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

20 words or less, 5c.

AMENUS—Wanted—Young lady wishes position as stenographer; city or country; refs. Ad. P. 140, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Wanted, situation by young girl as cook in small family. \$100 Easton av.

COOK—Wanted, place in private family; am good cook and housekeeper; portials not answered. Call at 2011 Walnut st.

COOK—Situation wanted by a reliable woman; good in private family; best references. Klippel's drug store, 414 and Franklin av.

DEMONSTRATOR—Wanted, position at Exposition by an experienced demonstrator and saleswoman; good references. Ad. W. 137, Post-Dispatch.

DRESSMAKER—First-class dressmaker desires a few more engagements; terms reasonable during engagements. Ad. M. 139, Post-Dispatch.

DRESSMAKER—An experienced dressmaker desires engagements; terms per day. First-class references. Ad. P. 137, Post-Dispatch.

GIRL—Wanted, situation by colored girl as a housekeeper in general household. 716 N. Jefferson.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

20 Words or Less, 5c.

GOVERNMENT—Young lady of education and refinement wishes position as day governess or companion; thorough teacher of French, German and music. Ad. E. 140, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation for general housework in small family. 1234 N. 14th st.

HOUSEGIRL—Colored girl wants situation as nurse or housegirl. 1566A Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation to do general housework; good home; no washing. 729 Lami st.

HOUSEKEEPER—A middle-aged Christian woman wants position as housekeeper; care of invalid or light housework and sewing; good references; good home preferred to high wages. Ad. O. 139, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, situation as housekeeper for a widower or bachelor by respectable widow with one child. Ad. E. 144, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by girl in small family. Apply 1414 Monroe st.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by girl for general housework. Ad. 2904 Lemp av., upstairs.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, situation as housekeeper in respectable family; city or country; refs. given. 1857 Cass av.

HOUSEKEEPER—A young woman of 27 wishes position as housekeeper in widower's or bachelor's home; no objection to children. Ad. B. 141, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation as housegirl in first-class family. 918 N. Garrison av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted by middle-aged lady in small family; good sewer and cook. 1517 Carr st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, situation as housekeeper by lady, experienced as cook; with children; musician. Mrs. H. 3022 Page st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, situation as housekeeper; best refs. 1420 Locust st.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by young girl, 15, stranger in city; no light housework of nurse. 1110 Buchanan av.

HOUSEWORK—Wanted, by a girl 15 years old, place to assist with housework and children. Apply northeast corner Menard and Gay av., 8d floor.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by neat, tidy colored girl to do general housework. 929 N. Sarah.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by neat German girl to do general housework; references. Call at 3002 North Market st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Widow with a little girl two years old desires position as housekeeper. 1018 Menard st.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by young girl in small family to do general housework. 4546 San Francisco av.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by girl to do general housework in small family. Apply 1625 Doland st.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, washing or ironing; to go out or take home. 4555 Cottage av.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by first-class laundress, who understands the business; can take full charge of laundry. Ad. W. 139, Post-Dispatch.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, situation by first-class laundress to go by the day. 2240 Lucas av.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, situation by No. 1 laundress by the day, week or month; can give reference. Apply at 826 S. 14th st.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, washing or ironing, or cleaning by a reliable woman. 2409 Dickson st.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, by first-class laundress and good shirt ironer. 2536 Papin st.

NURSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by young lady of refinement to take charge of 1 or more children. Ad. 1234 N. 8th st.

NURSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by competent nurse; can sew or do housework; references. Ad. 1234 N. 8th st.

STENOGRAPHER—Position by experienced young lady stenographer. Ad. P. 138, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Colored woman wants 2 days' work in week for retail store; no basement. 2731 Lafayette av., 2d floor, rear.

WOMAN—Would like office or room to clean; reasonable. Ad. T. 137, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Wanted, situation by good woman to do work for small family. 1229 N. 10th st.

WOMAN—Wanted, situation by an experienced woman to do general housework in first-class family. 815 N. 21st st.

WOMAN—First-class colored woman wishes a place for general housework. 2011 Wash. st.

WOMAN—Wanted, situation by a clean and thorough cook; German. Inquire 3615 Union st.

WOMAN—Wanted, situation by middle-aged woman in small private family to cook and assist in general housework; experienced. Ad. P. 140, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Young woman wants situation at home; work; will assist with washing and ironing. Ad. E. 141, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Young woman wants place to wash dishes or clean offices. Ad. E. 142, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Wanted, situation by middle-aged German woman for general work. 2111 Franklin av.

WOMAN—Wanted, situation by woman to do general housework. 2331 Market st.

WOMAN—Wanted, by good, strong, experienced woman, work in hotel or restaurant. Ad. F. 141, Post-Dispatch.

YOUNG LADY—Desires position to do office work; 5 years' experience; best of references. Ad. O. 140, Post-Dispatch.

STOVE REPAIRS.

Castings and repairs furnished for any stove or range made. J. Forehand, 111 N. 12th st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

14 words or less, 10c.

ALL diseases of women a specialty; consultation private. General Dispensary, 1408 Franklin av.

CASHIER—Wanted—Experienced young lady as cashier in a hotel; best of references. Ad. H. 139, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Wanted—Good cook. 1814 Franklin av.

COOK—Wanted—Competent girl to cook, wash and iron. 5086 Calumet pl.

COOK—Wanted—A good woman to do first-class cooking, washing and ironing. 4512 West Pine st.

COOK—Wanted—Good girl to cook and do general housework. 2332 Olive st.

CORSET CUTTER—Wanted—An experienced corset cutter. 2832 Olive st.

FORELADY—Wanted—For first-class steam laundry; must be thoroughly experienced in all branches of the business. 1329 Post-Dispatch.

GIRL—Wanted—A good girl; small family. 1000A Arsenal av.

GIRL—Wanted—A housegirl. Apply 2206 Wash. st.

GIRLS—Wanted—Experienced girls for machine and hand sewing. E. S. 11th st.

GIRLS—Wanted—Girls for buttonhole finishing by hand. 415 N. 8th st.

GIRL—Wanted—Neat, capable girl for general housework in small family. 2634 Castlemore av.

GIRLS—Wanted—Experienced cook and housekeeper. 8417 Locust st.

GIRL—Wanted—To learn starching. 1803 Franklin av.

GIRL—Wanted—Girl for board and clothes; good home. Inquire Mrs. Miller, 3002A University st.

GIRL—Wanted—Girl to cook, wash and iron. 5416 Chestnut st.

GIRLS—Wanted—Experienced girls on vests. 3104 N. 8th st.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted—Servant girl for general housework in city. 3155 Alfred av.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted—A girl for general housework; good home; refs. 1727 Missouri st.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted—Woman or girl for general housework; German; of color; refs. 2901 1/2 Wednesday or Thursday at 2901 1/2 1/2 st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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HOUSEGIRL—Wanted—German girl for general housework; small family; steady place in the right one; state wages. Ad. P. 138, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted—A good girl for general housework. 3427 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted—A good German girl. Call at 2303 Lynde st.

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